GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:301
ANSWERED ON:16.03.2000
INSTALLATION OF SECONDARY SURVEILLANCE RADARS AT AIRPORTS
CHANDRAKANT BHAURAO KHAIRE;RAMSHETH THAKUR

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the airports that are equipped with the secondary surveillance radars system;

(b) whether the Government propose to instal secondary surveillance radars in all the airports in the country; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION
(SHRI SHARAD YADAV)
(a), (b) & (c) :- A statement is laid on the table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a), (b) & (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.301 FOR ANSWER ON 16.3.2000 REGARDING INSTALLATION OF SECONDARY SURVEILLANCE RADARS AT AIRPORTS.

(a) The airports at Delhi, Mumbai, Calcutta, Chennai, Thiruvanthapuram, Hyderabad, Guwahati and Ahmedabad are equipped with Monopulse Secondary Surveillance Radars(MSSR).

(b) & (c) :- No, Sir. However, MSSRs at airports of Nagpur in Maharashtra, Varanasi in Uttar Pradesh, Behrampur in Orissa and Mangalore in Karnataka airport at a cost of Rs. 81 crores are under installation and the project is expected to be completed by March, 2001. With the installation of these MSSRs, the entire air routes over Indian land mass would come under radar surveillance.